

## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

### **General Remarks**

**Claims 13-22** were withdrawn from consideration by the examiner as being directed to a second, patentably distinct invention. Claims 13-22 were canceled accordingly. The applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application to pursue the withdrawn claims.

### **Allowable Subject Matter**

The Office considered claims 1-12 as being novel and non-obvious over the prior art. The applicant agrees with the office and left the claims unchanged. Claims 1-12 are currently pending in this application. The applicant requests allowance of all pending claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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